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REMARKS

The amendments made to the claims and the specification are not connected in any way with any rejections in this application.

Claims 19-25 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by Baumgartner et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,568,845). Claims 19-25 have been cancelled by this amendment.

Thus, claims 26-33 are in condition for allowance. No additional fees are seen to be required. If any additional fees are due, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1482, in the name of Carlson, Gaskey & Olds, P.C., for any additional fees or credit the account for any overpayment. Therefore, favorable reconsideration and allowance of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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